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### GULF, COLORADO & SANTA FE

#### TIME TABLE.

##### SOUTH BOUND.

No. 1, Express, 4:45 a. m.  
No. 9, Passenger, 6:15 p. m.  
No. 13, Local Freight, 2:20 p. m.

##### NORTH BOUND.

No. 2, Express, 12:10 a. m.  
No. 10, Passenger, 10:20 a. m.  
No. 14, Local Freight, 1 p. m.

### ARRIVALS AND DEPARTURES OF U. S. MAILS.

South bound mail closes 5:45 p. m.  
South bound mail arrives 6:15 p. m.  
North bound mail closes 10 a. m.  
North bound mail arrives 10:20 a. m.  
Night mails are closed at 8:30 p. m.  
Money order department is open at 8 a. m. and closed at 5 p. m.  
Office hours from 8 a. m. to 6 p. m.  
Sundays from 2:30 p. m. to 3:30 p. m.  
JOHN S. HAMPER, P. M.  
SUMMERS HARDY, Deputy.

Application has been made to enter in the Post Office at Ardmore, I. T., as second class mail matter.

### A PROPOSITION TO HIS HONOR THE PRESIDENT OF THE ARDMORE BOARD OF TRADE.

WHEN some two years ago the question of incorporating the city was being agitated everyone of public spirit or enterprise conceded it to be a good move but when difficulties appeared insurmountable were encountered the matter was dropped entirely and no substitute having practically the same end in view but which could be attained by a different method was discussed. That a plan feasible and beneficial could be carried into execution there can be no doubt and all that is necessary to insure success is concentrated effort on the part of our citizens. Without the formality of incorporating the city which seems to be the point most objectionable; a Board of Trustees selected from different sections of the town could be elected or appointed by the citizens of their respective districts, and these in turn elect their chairman and clerk and to all intents and purposes perform the duties of a regularly elected municipal body. The trustees could legislate for the general welfare of the city and if backed by the will of the people could enforce, by moral effect, any reasonable ordinances and rules for local government necessary. They could do much good in the matter of establishing grades for streets and side walks, inaugurating a system of sewerage and sanitary regulations which are very essential to the welfare of the entire city, secure concentrated action on any proposition advantageous to Ardmore and exercise a general supervision over the city as a board of directors. A sufficient revenue could be derived from street privileges, peddlers and strolling merchants to pay the salary of the clerk and a peace officer and much good could be done in various ways to advance the comfort, safety and convenience of the citizens, without in any manner infringing on the rights of the national government at Tishomingo. The trustees could in many ways act in concert with the Board of Trade, which body would, by being backed up in so substantial a manner, undergo a rejuvenating process and awaken to the necessities of the hour and the importance of active energetic measures to advance the cities interest. This matter can be brought before the

people at a mass meeting and various propositions submitted and there is no question, but some such steps would receive the moral support of Ardmore's best citizens. The proper person to call such a meeting would be Hon. Saml. Zuckerman, the President of the Board of Trade, and the Ardmoreite respectfully calls his attention to this, one of the important questions of the hour.

U. S. Attorney Jackson has sent an official circular to all U. S. deputy marshals calling their attention to the wholesale manner in which druggists and store keepers generally are introducing bitters, tonics and other so-called medicines bought as beverages by the people of the country. The attorney says the sale of such goods has assumed alarming proportions and the marshals are ordered to arrest all parties handling the same. The circular is terse and pointed and means business. A word to the wise is sufficient.

POWERLEY denies that the Knights of Labor are weakening or contemplating disbanding.

## Terrible Accident!

### MRS. HARVILL AND MISS ROSA SMITH JUMP FROM A MOVING TRAIN.

Last night as the south bound train was pulling into Ardmore the brakeman called the station when Mrs. Artie Harvill and Miss Rosa Smith aged 13, passengers from near Daugherty, thinking they would not stop, rushed to the door and without warning jumped from the moving train, Mrs. Harvill sustaining injuries from which she died in a few hours, while the young lady was knocked senseless and injured painfully about the neck and shoulders. It appears from the best information obtainable that the husband of the unfortunate, Sanford Harvill, who is a farmer living between Davis and Daugherty, in company with the two victims started yesterday morning with a wagon load of cotton for Ardmore and when he had got to Daugherty he prevailed upon the ladies to stop there on account of the cold, and made arrangements for them to follow on the train. The train was late and this fact no doubt led to the fatal accident which followed. The ladies had never before ridden on a train hence were unaccustomed to the rules and regulations governing their running. In their anxiety to get to their destination and probably thinking the train would not stop, they took the fatal chances which brought desolation to a devoted husband casting a gloom over his future life.

Passengers say they noticed the two when they arose from their chairs and started for the door but thought nothing of it. One gentleman was standing on the rear platform and saw them jump but not in time to detain them. He notified the conductor and as soon as the train stopped he and others returned to the place finding the little girl first who was lying insensible about 100 yards from Mrs. Harvill. The latter was soon found and every effort made to revive her but without avail. They were carried by kind hands and tender touch to the Commercial Hotel Drs. Booth, Gardner and Yarbrough were called in and did every thing in their power to relieve their sufferings. From the first it was evident that Mrs. Harvill's injuries were fatal. She lingered until ten o'clock when she passed away in the presence of her grief stricken husband and sympathizing strangers who had rallied to the rescue and assistance. The little girl Rosa was taken to another room and made comfortable. She will recover in a few days. She was an orphan girl and was living with Mr. and Mrs. Harvill. Mr. Ike Kimball of Daugherty, took charge of her and returned with her to Daugherty this morning. Mrs. Harvill's remains were shipped to Daugherty last night. The skull

of the unfortunate victim was broken which was no doubt the wound which produced fatality. The little girls injuries are slight.

The accident is not regarded in the light of any fault of the company in a direct way, but the consensus of opinion as to the manner in which the unfortunate occurrence happened furnishes food for thought on the part of the railroad company.

So many in this comparatively new country are not accustomed to seeing (Continued on Fourth page.)

## THE CITY.

Stetson hats at Russells. tf.  
Pena Archerd of Lebanon is in the city.

See the great "Fire Scene" in the inside track, Monday night. tf.

S. J. Gavin, of White Bend Hill, is in the city.

Reserve seats for the "Inside Track" are on sale at the City Drug store. tf.  
Fayette Wilkins has returned from a visit to Gainesville and Whitesboro.

See Jennie Holman in the "Inside Track" Monday night. tf.

W. H. Milby vs. Santa Fe jury found for plaintiff.

Dr. W. Porter, of Lebanon, is visiting his daughter, Miss Georgie a popular saleslady of the Racket store.

In the case of Jas. Barnett vs. the Santa Fe the jury awarded the plaintiff judgment for \$300. This is the celebrated "sink case."

Secure your seats early for the "Inside Track" Monday night. Crowded houses always greet this company. tf.

Mrs. C. B. Stuart and three children are visiting Judge Stuart, husband and father and are the guest of Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Stowe.

The Central Hotel always has a rush but is ever ready to serve its customers.

Well, how about that money which a leader newspaper man is reported to have stolen and sunk down in his jeans? They say the cash proper belongs to the Ardmore Board of Trade.

Jennie Holman and her excellent company will appear at the opera house every night next week. Popular prices will prevail. tf.

Mrs. Joe M. London is ill, at the family residence, but with the good nursing and skilled treatment it is hoped she will speedily recover.

Mrs. Capt. Whittington is suffering from a slight attack of pneumonia. Two of the little folks of the family are also slightly indisposed from severe colds.

We, the ladies of the Peak Sisters, take this means of thanking the people of Ardmore for their patronage and kind treatment, the prayers for their services, and all others who so kindly helped us; also to the young ladies who worked so faithfully to make our entertainment a success.

Judge Stuart's forbearance ceased to be a virtue this morning. Two attorneys engaged in a tilt of words, whereupon they were informed that the court neither wanted nor would it permit any monkey work. Necessary apologies were offered and the case at issue was proceeded with.

Juror Henry Brewer was taken sick this morning in the midst of a trial and court had to adjourn at 11 o'clock. At 1 p. m. he was able to resume his place and the case was proceeded with.

J. B. Ingrams at the corner of Main and Caddo streets is the place to go for lunch, fish, oysters and territorial drinks. Meals served hot at all hours of the day and at reasonable prices. Give him a call. 1wk.

Mrs. Hopkins it was reported at the hour of going to press was dying. It is to be hoped the report may prove unfounded but there can be but little doubt she will have passed away before this is read by her many friends.

Mrs. Frank Little who has been visiting her brother at Lampasas Springs, Texas for the past two months is now home much to the delight of Frank who has assumed the role of widower so long that his friends had almost come to the conclusion that the probable had become a reality. She returned yesterday.

Advertise in the Ardmoreite.

The whole souled and genial Bob Kirkpatrick, one of the slickest editors and printers in the Territory, well known all over Texas, is in the city. Bob is a diamond of the first water. He is at present with the Territorial Topics.

Harry J. Vance, business manager for the Jennie Holman Company, was in the city today, arranging for the appearance of his troupe, which will play Monday night, and during the entire week. While here he gave the Ardmoreite a pleasant call.

In making mention of the fact that the Central Barber shop had changed hands the reporter made a blunder. It should have been W. L. Thomas instead of J. W. Thomas as the typo made the article read. Mr. Thomas is well known as a tonsorial artist and we take pleasure in correcting our error.

W. O. Duston and R. G. Biggers went to the Washita yesterday on a hunting expedition. They returned this morning with nine squirrels and five ducks as a reward for their skill in marksmanship. They started out assuring their friends that nothing short of sixty canvass backs would satisfy their greed.

Last night the Commercial hotel was a veritable hospital. In one room lay a lady insensible, in the throes of death. In the same room was a little girl bruised and bleeding while upstairs was Mr. Looney the carpenter who unfortunately fell from the belfry of the Methodist church—all accidents of the afternoon fully reported elsewhere.

### SERIOUS ACCIDENT.

Yesterday J. H. Looney, a well known carpenter was on the roof of the Methodist church repairing the flue when he lost his hold by the ladder, slipped and was precipitated to the ground, a distance of twenty feet, sustaining injuries of the spine which may cripple him for life. He was carried to the Commercial Hotel where he now lies in a critical condition. Dr. Bell was called in and after examination pronounced the injuries of a serious spinal nature but not necessarily fatal.

The appearance of the Peak Sisters (seventeen in number) last night at the opera house was greeted by a full and appreciative house. The play throughout was well conducted and reflected much credit on Mrs. Kendig and her sixteen younger sisters. The Ardmoreite would be glad were it possible to give each one of them a complimentary notice as their merit deserved but space precludes the idea; suffice it to say they acquitted themselves, singly and collectively with becoming honors. The receipts were in the neighborhood of \$100 which will be applied to the Presbyterian church. The Peak Sisters made a hit and we wish them a safe return to Alaska.

### SPECIAL NOTICE.

We call the special attention of the public to our job office. We are prepared to do job work at as low figures, and as nicely as any office in town.

Consult the city sanitarian, O. S. Baily, at Hall & Ryan's drug store South Main street, in regard to any work in his line you may need. tf.

Harshaw sets the best table for the least money of any man in town. t-f.

M. E. Church South cor. Broadway and Church Sts.—Preaching every Sunday at 11 A. M. and 7:30 P. M. Prayer meeting Wednesday night choir meeting Friday night.

Rev. Frank Naylor, Pastor.

Sunday school at 10 A. M.

Joe M. London, Supt.

C. B. Ladd's new cook has returned and the rush to the Central hotel is something wonderful to behold. 2t.

The Ardmoreite is here to stay. Subscribe for it.

### GIVEN AWAY.

With every dress from 25cts per yard upward, the latest styles of dress trimming. This opportunity will only last as a special inducement for the next thirty days, at

The Big Iron Store. 1wk.

Deputy Tom Covington of the Paris force arrested Ben Fletcher this afternoon, charged with theft of some horses from the Wilson neighborhood about two months since.

Persons desiring copies of the daily ARDMOREITE can obtain same by calling at London & Moore's book store.

Ladies you should visit the Racket Store if you want a fine hat in the latest style. 1wk.

Engraving of all kinds done at T. H. Parkers, the jeweler. t-f.

You can buy a dollar white shirt for 50 cents at H. H. Russell's this week. tf.

### WANTED.

Some apprentice girls by Mrs. Mosher the dress maker on Court Street opposite the court house. tf.

### HOTEL FOR RENT.

The Cottage Home Hotel, opposite court house, 15 rooms well furnished with beds, etc. Call on or address R. H. Glenn, Ardmore, I. T.

One of the most popular eating houses in the city is that of Mr. Harshaw. When you eat there once you will go again. See this popular young man's "ad" elsewhere. tf.

### FOR RENT.

I have two furnished rooms which I desire to rent to man and wife at reasonable figures. Call on the undersigned. Lum Johnson.

### FOR SALE.

A good dwelling and business house situated at Lone Grove, ten miles west of Ardmore, which I will sell cheap for cash or trade for stock. Apply to J. R. Young, Lone Grove. 1wk.

The Racket Store duplicates all the cut throat prices on staple goods and sells you the balance of your bill for less money than the dodger men. tf.

O. S. Baily can be found at Hall & Ryan's drug store. South Main street. Mr. Baily is city sanitarian. It may prove cheaper to employ Mr. Baily than a doctor. n3-t

Have you seen Russell's line of overcoats they are daisies and very cheap. tf.

Trimnings worth from 25 cents to \$1 will be given with every dress from 25 cents per yard upward. Munzshelmer & Daube. 1wk.

### HOLIDAY EXCURSIONS.

The G. C. & Santa Fe Railway (Santa Fe route) will sell excursion tickets December 19, 20 and 21 to Kansas City, St. Louis and Hannibal, Mo.; also all points in the Southeast, at one fare for the round trip, good for thirty days from date of sale. The undersigned will be pleased to have your business, and will cheerfully answer all questions and give information as to rates and routes. Call upon or address, I. R. Mason, Agent, Ardmore, I. T.

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By Dr. McCoy, opposite Iron Store, Ardmore, I. T.  
Specialties—Operative Surgery, Diseases of women and children, nervous diseases, rheumatism and diseases of the skin. Has had over twenty one years practical experience in diseases incident to this southern climate. Does a general practice—Permanently located.

## BY TELEGRAPH.

### FROM OVER THE WORLD

A General Summary of News Condensed and Clipped from Our Daily Exchanges.

The new Democratic tariff bill will probably be made public at a much earlier date than has generally been anticipated.

Missourians are waxing wealthy over recent appointments.

It is learned on good authority that the cabinet is a unit in its endorsement of Cleveland's plan for the restoration of Queen Lilioukalani.

Cleveland is enjoying good health, notwithstanding reports to the contrary.

Dallas has another sensation. This time it is the arrest, on a charge of murder, of two men a white man and a negro. The former is Will G. Parish one of the best known business men of state having for a long time occupied the responsible position of financial agent of the Texas Penitentiaries. The man murdered was Y. M. Langdon a partner with Parish and carried an insurance policy on his life for \$10,000, payable to the firm. It was for this it is charged Parish hired the negro to kill Langdon. The negro has confessed. Parish attempted suicide last night in the Dallas jail.

## OPERA HOUSE.

ONE WEEK,  
COMMENCING MONDAY, NOV. 20,  
JENNIE HOLMAN  
—IN THE—

**BIG PRODUCTION**  
of Oliver D. Byrnes  
**GREAT SENSATIONAL PLAY**  
**THE INSIDE TRACK**

UNDER MANAGEMENT OF  
OTTO KRAUSE  
AND HARRY J. VANCE

Newly Costumed Throughout.  
Entirely New Music, New Scenery,  
New Specialties, New Features  
and Novelties without Number.

CHANGE OF BILL NIGHTLY.  
Admission 50 cents. No extra charge for reserved seats.